

# SHEEHAN OUT, ANDREWS IN

## A YOUNG WEST POINTER, DEMOCRAT, FOR POLICE COMMISSIONER

George Walton Green, Grace Man, Aqueduct Commissioner-The Mayor Will Not Disturb the Republican Police Commissioners and Will Make No More Appointments This Week - Brookfield's Leave.

Mayor Strong had two more surprises for the politicians in the way of appointments yesterday. They were:

**Police Commissioner-Avery D. Andrews** of 101 West Eighty-first street, to succeed John C. Sheehan, removed, salary \$5,000.

**Aqueduct Commissioner-George Walton Green** to succeed Francis M. Scott, resigned, salary \$5,000.

Both men are Democrats, although Commissioner Andrews is known to no Democratic leader of any faction as an active party worker. He is a son-in-law of Lieut.-Gen. Schofield, who is one of his backbones for the place. Others who looked for his appointment are Gen. Anson G. McCook, Daniel Butterfield, and Louis Fitzgerald, Secretary Lamont, Frederic R. Couderc, and William R. Grace. Mr. Andrews is 31 years old. He was a first lieutenant of artillery in the United States army and a member of Gen. Schofield's staff until 1892, when he resigned. He is now in the city of New York and is Major of engineers on the staff of Brig.-Gen. Louis Fitzgerald of the first Brigade, National Guard. His appointment is the subject of much discussion.

Police Commissioner Avery D. Andrews, looked on as a concession to those who are anxious to inject militarism into the Police Department. The new Commissioner was sworn in yesterday. Since his retirement from the army he has been admitted to practice law, and for two years has been a tutor at the New York Law School. The new Police Commissioner said that he did not know he was to be appointed until after he called at the Mayor's office yesterday. "I knew my name had been presented for the Mayor's consideration," said he, "but did not know that it had been favorably acted on until he began to read the oath of office to me."

"I think that the discipline of the Police Department should be improved," said he. "Every one who has followed the accounts of the recent investigation must admit the great lack of discipline."

Aqueduct Commissioner Green is the Grace Democratic leader in the Fourteenth Assembly district. He is also chairman of the Law Committee of the organization. He is a lawyer and resides at 344 Lexington avenue. He was a clerk in the Public Works Department for twenty years ago, and was born in this city forty years ago. Last year he was the candidate of the Grace Democracy for Congress in the Twelfth district, to beat McClellan, got 2,042 votes and did not beat McClellan.

The appointment of Mr. Green on the Aqueduct Board is taken to mean that, although the Mayor has the power to remove him, he will not do so. The Mayor's intention is to leave the Aqueduct Board in place of Edward Bell, and A. J. Julliard in place of Nathan Strauss. These appointments leave only Commissioner Lamont of the Board. The Mayor's intention is to leave the Aqueduct Board in place of Edward Bell, and A. J. Julliard in place of Nathan Strauss. These appointments leave only Commissioner Lamont of the Board.

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# NO PLEDGES, SAYS STRONG.

## DENIES THAT HE GAVE PLATT PROMISES OR BROKE FAITH.

Platt Submitted, at the Mayor's Request, Three Names for the Place Brookfield Got, but They Weren't Good Enough - Only One Message to Platt Through Phillips Knew There'd Be a Storm Over Brookfield, and Was Sorry, but Decided to Let It Rain If Rain It Must.

It is trying to die two ways at once, but it's bound to die.

The Millholland Republican organization promises to expire in a row. All of the members of the organization say it is time that it should give up the ghost, but there is a difference of opinion, more or less serious, about the mode of suicide.

The trouble grows out of a disagreement as to what the Executive Committee did at its meeting at the State Club on Wednesday night. According to the original resolution adopted at that meeting, which was in the possession of Secretary Graham and was published in *The Sun* yesterday, Otto Irving Wise, John C. Millholland, Moses G. Byers, John C. Schuch, Henry Clay Pierce, and Gen. O. B. Langrange were appointed a committee to make terms with the regular Republican organization for an enrollment of the Millholland men in the ranks of the regulars. According to Mr. Millholland, the committee consists of the same men, but the resolution was not published in *The Sun*.

Being the first named in the committee, Mr. Millholland was called on to report. He said that he held at his office, 280 Broadway, yesterday afternoon. Only Byers and Stuebeling attended, and that he had no other business to transact. He said that he had no other business to transact. He said that he had no other business to transact.

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# TALMAN DRANK POISON.

## Ran Away When About to Be Taken to a Hospital.

Charles W. Talman, a bookkeeper, 22 years old, came to this country from Stuttgart, Germany, seven years ago. Recently he has been living with his sister Marie and her husband, Joseph Rotkowsky, on the third floor at 342 East Thirtieth street.

Some months ago he became acquainted with Bertha Schinsky, aged 18 years, of 104 Second street, who frequently visited Mrs. Rotkowsky. Talman became devoted to Miss Schinsky. Early in December they had some misunderstandings, and one night Talman told her she was not his wife, and that he was not her husband. She was very angry, and he was very sorry. He was very sorry.

Talman in a small bottle, which he took from his pocket, put a few drops of poison in his glass. He drank it, and he felt very sick. He was very sick.

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# MINISTER GRAY IS DEAD.

## OUR REPRESENTATIVE TO MEXICO DIES THERE OF PNEUMONIA.

He Had Just Come from a Visit to Washington and His Home and Was Unconscious on His Arrival - Died in a Hospital.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 14. - Pierre Gray, son of Minister to Mexico, I. P. Gray, received a telegram at 10 o'clock to-night, saying that the Minister had died at 7 o'clock.

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# ADAM TING KILLS HIMSELF.

## He and the Chinese General Commit Suicide After the Surrender of Wei-Hai-Wei.

LONDON, Feb. 14. The Central News correspondent in Shanghai says that after the surrender of the last forts, Admiral Ting and the Chinese General committed suicide.

The Central News correspondent in Peking says that Li Hing Chang has been repatriated and appointed peace envoy to Japan. "When Peking shall be seriously threatened the Chinese Emperor will retire to Peking," says the correspondent.

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# MUST ISSUE COIN BONDS.

## THE HOUSE REFUSES TO PLACE THE WORD 'GOLD' IN THE BILL.

Chairman Wilson's Resolution, Intended to Save the Government \$100,000,000 in the Future, Defeated by a Vote of 139 to 167.

Silver Republicans Attack the President for Negotiating with a Foreign Syndicate, Represented by His Former Law Partner, a Loan Which They Ask for, Will Give the Syndicate a Profit of \$25,000,000.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14. Another day's debate in the House upon the financial question has not served to emphasize the fact that no legislation affecting the financial situation is to be expected from the Fifty-third Congress. A week ago the House passed, by a vote of 167 to 139, to amend the Spring Loan bill and to authorize the issue of long time, low interest bonds, and to-day, by the still more decisive vote of 167 to 139, it declined to authorize the issue of \$5,000,000 three per cent. gold bonds, which would replace the 3 per cent. bonds negotiated with the foreign syndicate.

The gold bond resolution was then read by the Clerk, and the Speaker said that he would recognize Mr. Wilson, (Dem., W. Va.) and Reed (Rep., Me.) for two hours in the affirmative, and Messrs. Bryan (Dem., Neb.) and Hopkins (Rep., Ill.) in the negative for the same time, the other hour to be divided among other gentlemen.

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# EPISCOPAL MINISTER LOCKED UP.

## Had Been Out with College Friends - He Is a Brother of Newer Granger.

The Rev. Robert Granger, a young Episcopal clergyman of Hamilton, O., came here last Monday to see his brother, Septimus W. Granger, a brewer, who lives at 311 East 110th street. He met college friends and at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon he was found by Policeman Harpset at Third avenue and Second street, where he was arrested.

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